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The world's two leading spectator sports will be linked in the next issue of Soccer News to give a new paper called SOCCER NEWS-TENNIS NEWS

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They've done it again! For the third time in the past four years, Slavia collected the Dockerty Cup after beating Hellas 4-0 at Olympic Park last Sunday.

Slavia captain Tommy Randles is chaired by his team-mates, they are from left, Sandy Jones, Willie Schroiff, Ian Livingstone, Jack Goodwin, David High, Tommy Randles (capt.), Ian Reed and Graham Rainey. *Now turn to page 6 and 7 for more pictures of the Cup final and the Apia-Juventus clash at St. Kilda.*

SEVEN TIPPED TO GO ON TOUR

From MARTIN ASTON in Sydney

I can't speak with any authority on the current form of players in other States . . . but I can say that seven Sydney players are certain of a place in Australia's team for the tour of South-east Asia.

They are Pat Hughes, who is the logical choice as captain, Allan Westwater, John Watkiss, Allan Marnoch, John Warren, Stan Ackerley and Ray Baartz.

The names of the 19 players to make the five week tour will be announced next Monday.

Ackerley was the only one of these players who did not appear in the international matches against Scotland earlier in the year.

I also would like to see goal-keeper Ron Corry and wing-half Frank Cush, who is only 19, win a place in the touring party.

Victorians have yet to see Corry in action but he is remarkably agile and capable of making a jack-knife leap to tip the ball away in a way which would be envied by any gymnast.

He played in goal for N.S.W. against Chelsea in 1965 and subsequently was passed over in favor of John Roberts, Bill Rorke and Peter Fuzes.

Corry has fought his way back to the top and appears to have at last conquered his old problem of catching high balls from the wing.

Cush, a police cadet, is a strong and aggressive type of player who could develop into one of Australia's key players for the 1970 World Cup.

Other Sydney players who figured in this week's trials were Manfred Schaefer, Geoff Morgan and Denis Paterson.

Jim Bayutti, the stormy petrel of Soccer, is now likely to return to the administration of the code next year.

This follows a proposal by Sydney's first division clubs that a five-men committee should be appointed to administer the code for the next two years.

Such a committee would replace the N.S.W. Soccer Federation's management committee.

It has been suggested that the committee would be comprised of Mr. Bayutti, Frank Parsons, who resigned earlier in the year as N.S.W. Federation president, Tom Grimson, Arthur George and Sam Fiszman.

Mr. Parsons is the only member of the group who has said that he is not prepared to serve on such a committee.

"Yes, I'd be prepared to come back to Soccer — but only on my terms", said Mr. Bayutti.

"All this sniping by the clubs would have to stop."

Mr. George resigned earlier in the year as a member of Federation management committee and Mr. Fiszman recently resigned as president of the Hakoah club.

Mr. Grimson, a former treasurer of the Australian Soccer Federation, is still a member of a threadbare N.S.W. management committee.

Dr. Gaston Bauer and Gerry Baelaertz are the latest members of the committee to resign.

They dropped out in protest after being outvoted by the other members on a recommendation that all "migrant" names of clubs should be scrappped in favor of district ones.

The code in Sydney is facing a crisis.

Some idea of the growing apathy of the sporting public toward Soccer can be gained from the size of the crowd of 16,000 at the grand final between Apia and St. George Budapest.

The grand final in 1963 between Apia and South Coast attracted a crowd of more than 30,000.

Another joke is that the code in Sydney is currently being run by a management committee comprised of four men due to a number of resignations. The four lonely officials are Tom Grimson, John Thomson, Alan Woods and Trevis Birch.

Mr. Bayutti cannot come back to Soccer quickly enough.

We need fresh ideas as well as more drive and enthusiasm from our top officials, or the code in Sydney is going to continue to fall away.

A POOR TEAM WITH RICH SPIRIT

By MARTYN HARRIS, Soccer News Metropolitan League reporter

With the Dockerty Cup over and Slavia the winners, let's look back on the "giant killers" of this year's competition.

This award goes to Metropolitan club Sunshine City, the "poor relations" from the First Division who shocked the Soccer world by reaching the semi-final before bowing out to the eventual winners.

This is the best shot in the arm that Soccer has had in Victoria for years, and I only hope that more clubs will get the chance in future years, by bringing the State League clubs in at the start.

But what of these amateur stars from Sunshine who play for the love of the game.

A typical example is shown in the picture on this page of the Soccer "boot" worn by one of the players during their Cup run.

The club and players are so poor that team members have to "pay" for the privilege of a game.

How different to State League clubs where players are "paid" for playing!

The club will receive a considerable financial boost from their share of the Dockerty Cup takings, but apart from the players getting a share, it's not been decided to what use the balance will be put.

Now back to their three history-making games and some of the individual highlights.

Against Melbourne it was an all round team effort with Roy Cochrane and Bill Johnson the stars in defence and Alby Seenan scoring that vital goal.

Then there was the Alexander game which everyone will remember for that wonderful headed goal by Ray Pocock and some fine probing by brother Bobby.

Although City lost to Slavia nobody could forget the save Bill Johnson made at point-blank range from Slavia centre forward, Reid.

George Fontana was also a tower of strength at wing half and never stopped running.

One thing is certain, Sunshine's performances won't be forgotten for a long time and they were a credit to the game.

In the clubs awards for the season George Fontana gained the Best and Fairest trophy and Bobby Pocock was the Most Outstanding.

The reserves Best and Fairest went to Trevor Boudrie with Alec Aleksic being the Most Consistent.

The Best First Year player award went to "Spiggy" Olszewski and in to new awards the Dr. Kortus trophy for the best clubman went to Bill McCullough.

The Joe Windsor trophy for the player who has done most for the club was won by Scott Frew.

The season 1967 certainly will go down as Sunshine City's greatest year.

HERE IS photographer John Hart's picture of the boot one of Sunshine City's players wore during the Dockerty Cup semi-final.

RAY POCOCK and GEORGE FANTANA

Bobby Pocock

Soccer News was first-again!

Once again Soccer News is first with the big news breaks.

A fortnight ago our Sydney man Martin Aston broke the story that a leading official would be flying to Spain in a bid to sign Real Madrid for a tour of Australia next July.

It has now been announced that Australian Soccer Federation secretary Ian McAndrew will be making a trip to Europe in November for such a purpose.

Mr. McAndrew also will be visiting England, Scotland, Zurich and possibly Italy and Sweden on a three-week trip.

He will have a discussion with Liverpool, Tottenham Hotspur, Arsenal, Glasgow Celtic and Glasgow Rangers with a view to arranging possible tours in 1969 and 1970.

Iter Milan also will be sounded out on the possibility of making a tour of Australia.

Mr. McAndrew will visit F.I.F.A. headquarters in Zurich in a bid to arrange for a financial grant to start a coaching program in F.I.F.A.'s new Oceania group.

There also is a chance that he will go to Sweden to clinch a proposed visit next March by Sweden's national A team for three international matches against Australia.

JUNIOR GAME

Adelaide junior champions Adelaide Budapest S.C. will play Melbourne U-16 junior champions at Olympic Park, on Saturday, at 1 o'clock.

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1967 Australia Cup is on!

By JIM COOK

If Croatia can overcome their hurdle in Adelaide, then Victoria should have three representatives in the Australia Cup quarter-finals.

One thing is certain, Victoria are assured of one quarter-final placing with the matching of Juventus and J.U.S.T. And league champions, Melbourne, must be the nearest thing to a certainty to beat Launceston United who shocked the Tasmania Soccer world by qualifying for the Cup.

Undoubtedly and especially having to travel to the up-and-coming Soccer State, of South Australia, Croatia face a formidable task. But it's not beyond them by any means. In fact of the four Victorian qualifiers, Croatia look the best hope.

The draw, dates and venues of the first round involving Victorian clubs is:

Melbourne v. Launceston United at Olympic Park, October 7.

West Adelaide Hellas v. Croatia (Vic.) at Hindmarsh Stadium (S.A.), October 7.

Juventus v. Footscray J.U.S.T. at Olympic Park, October 8.

MELBOURNE v. LAUNCESTON UNITED

Melbourne face a professional side here. But not as Soccer players. Three of the Tassie team are school-teachers, another is a graduate with honors in Agriculture.

However, despite their tremendous enthusiasm for the game the talents of the Launceston side who beat Ulverstone to qualify for the Australia Cup appear to be limited strictly to amateurs.

And with their restricted competition and opposition, it seems more than likely that honest endeavor will be their biggest attribute when they line-up against the 1967 State League champions.

Despite the loss of Bill McGowan at left back, which has caused quite a draught in their defence, Melbourne are a good combination with plenty of steadiness in defence and better than average striking power in attack.

Pivoting the Melbourne side, Alistair Scott should be quite capable of marshalling his defence to such an extent to break the hearts of the Tassie forwards before they even look dangerous.

And up front, goal-scoring ace, Ottie Abonyi, and his colleagues may have a joyday in target practice unless the Launceston defence is augmented by some of their forwards.

The opposition danger could come from experienced right winger, Jim Witherford, and teen-age centre forward, Stuart Bain, who scores goals in Tasmania with rapid fire.

Summing up: Melbourne should win easily. The respective grades of Soccer in which both teams play serves in this instance as more than a useful yardstick in assessing the club's chances.

Line-ups (from):

Melbourne: Surma, Gerrard, Hona, Fowler, Gilfeilian, Glarke, Gregal, Shanks, Kurta, Abonyi, Stoffels, Connelly, Myers, Wallace. Coach: Bill Walsh.

Launceston: T. Bain, Hall, Kremerskothen, Donaldson, Smith, Hackett, Slater, Witherford, Roper, S. Bain, Hill, van der Pols, Dracup, Fairley, Neilson. Coach: Jim Witherford.

JUVENTUS v. FOOTSCRAY J.U.S.T.

An all Melbourne tie and one where the outcome could be in doubt until the final whistle. For Juventus, as league runners-up opposed to J.U.S.T. who finished fifth and got in the competition through Hellas being banned, are two sides who are as mercurial as they come.

In league ratings playing each other they can call it quits. Juventus won the first game 1-0, but J.U.S.T. secured revenge in the return by finishing 2-1 on the right side.

Both have more than average potential in their sides, both can look very mediocre and both fell down badly in the art of teamwork during the past league season.

After their debacle against Apia, the Juventus management must think again in the formation of their side. They must strengthen their defence for a kick-off and should give serious consideration to bringing in either Terry Luckhurst or Jimmy Millar to this department.

In attack, coach Maric Corti has so far not inspired either as a player or coach. His experience in good class Soccer is not doubted but he fails to dovetail into the scheme of things with the present Juventus attack. Newcomer Luigi Pignatelli must be given a chance to settle down in competitive Soccer before his true value is assessed.

Juventus must field their best players if they hope to qualify for the quarter-finals.

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Round	Teams	Winner	Date	Venue (Subject to Results)	
Round 1 (East)	N.S.W. (1) v A.C.T.	A	Sunday, 8/10/67	Sydney: Wentworth Park	11.15 p.m.
	North N.S.W. (2) v N.S.W. (3)	B	Sunday, 8/10/67	Newcastle: Lake Macquarie	3.00 p.m.
	N.S.W. (2) v N.S.W. (4)	C	Sunday, 8/10/67	Sydney: Wentworth Park	3.00 p.m.
	Queensland v North N.S.W. (1)	D	Sunday, 8/10/67	Brisbane: Exhibition Ground	3.00 p.m.
Round 2 (West)	Vic. (1) v Tas.	1	Saturday, 7/10/67	Melbourne: Olympic Park	3.00 p.m.
	S.A. (2) v Vic. (3)	2	Saturday, 7/10/67	Adelaide: Hindmarsh Stadium	3.00 p.m.
	Victoria (2) v Vic. (4)	3	Sunday, 8/10/67	Melbourne: Olympic Park	3.00 p.m.
	S.A. (1) v West. Aust.	4	Thursday, 12/10/67	Adelaide: Hindmarsh Stadium	8.00 p.m.
QUARTER FINALS (East)	(A) v (B)	EAST 1	Sunday, 15/10/67	Double Sydney: Wentworth Park —	3.00 p.m.
	(C) v (D)	EAST 2	Sunday, 15/10/67	Header	1.15 p.m.
(West)	(1) y (2)	WEST 1	Sunday, 15/10/67	Melbourne: Olympic Park	3.00 p.m.
	(3) v (4)	WEST 2	Saturday, 14/10/67	Melbourne: Olympic Park (or double header if required)	3.00 p.m.
SEMI-FINALS (East)	EAST 1 v EAST 2	F.1	Sunday, 22/10/67	Sydney: Wentworth Park	3.00 p.m.
(West)	WEST 1 v WEST 2	F.2	Sunday, 22/10/67	Melbourne: Olympic Park	3.00 p.m.
FINAL	F.1 v F.2	—	Sunday, 29/10/67	Melbourne: Olympic Park (depending upon finalists)	3.00 p.m.

Group	Intra-State Elimination Rounds	Round 1 (7th/8th October)	Quarter Finals (14th/15th October)	Semi Finals (22nd October)	CUP FINAL (29th October)
WESTERN GROUP	—	Melbourne H.S.C.	.....		
	—	Launceston United		.....	
	West Adelaide Hellas	.....			
	Adelaide Croatia	Melbourne Croatia	.....		.....
	—	Melbourne Juventus	.....		
	—	Footscray-J.U.S.T.			
	Adelaide Juventus	.....		.....	
	Polonia Adelaide		.....		
	Azzurri; Tricolore; Cracovia; or Cottesloe (W.A.)	.....			
EASTERN GROUP	—	Apia-Leichhardt	.....		
	—	Canberra-Juventus		.....	
	—	Lake Macquarie	.....		
	—	South Sydney Croatia			.....
	—	St. George Budapest	.....		
	—	Pan Hellenic		.....	
	—	Newcastle Austral	.....		
	—	Latrobe (Qld.)			

(Keep this for reference and fill in results when they come to hand.)

PLAYER IS INJURED IN VIETNAM

Victor Winkler, 20-year-old National Serviceman who was injured in Vietnam last week, played Soccer for St. Albans.

He has since recovered from his injuries.

He was a forward and played with St. Albans in the second division. He also appeared in their winning Harry Armstrong Cup team.

Victor was a regular in the team until he was called up.

He's due out of the army next March — Martyn Harris.

UNDER 23's TO GO ON TOUR

An Australian Under-13 team will contest a triangular tournament in New Caledonia at the end of next month.

This was decided at last weekend's executive meeting of the Australian Soccer Federation in Sydney.

First coaching symposium

Victorian Soccer Coaches Association will hold a coaching symposium at Melbourne University on Saturday, October 28 and Sunday, October 29.

The theme will be "The Future of Soccer Coaching in Australia".

All States will be represented. Invitations will also be extended to every coach of the Australian Rules Game in the V.F.L. and V.F.A. and also to Rugby coaches.

The object of the National Federation of Soccer Coaches is to help establish uniform coaching organisations in each State, to introduce uniform curricula and terminology, hold coaching and refresher courses, organise National symposia, maintain regular contact with Directors of Coaching, establish a National library including records and films.

In this year's symposium guest lecturers will include Dr. A. W. Willee, Director of Physical Education, University of Melbourne, on the "Principles and Method of Fitness Training". Mr. Harry Hopman C.B.E. on "Team Management", and Dr. Charles Walker of the Sports Medicine Assoc. on "Treatment of Football injuries".

There will be practical coaching demonstrations by Victorian Soccer coaches, and of interest to all football codes there is a special practical demonstration on "Fitness Training Australian Conditions" by the Physical Education Staff of the Melbourne University.

Finance for the symposium will be provided by the Australian Soccer Federation and a sum of $1,400 has been already allocated.

The Department of Education in Victoria has been invited to send an observer to the symposium.

Soccer football is growing so fast that it is proposed to run coaching courses for school-teachers in the Teachers Colleges. To this end a "Director of Coaching" in Victoria will be appointed and his job will be to run "Coaching" courses and minor symposiums throughout the State. National Certificates of Coaching will be issued and these certificates will oe recognised by F.I.F.A., he world controlling body n International Soccer —). NORRIS.

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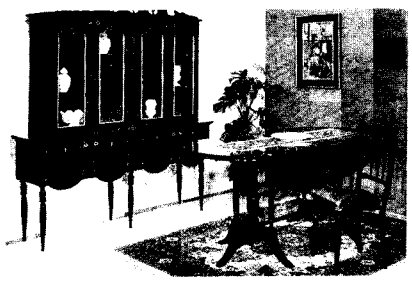

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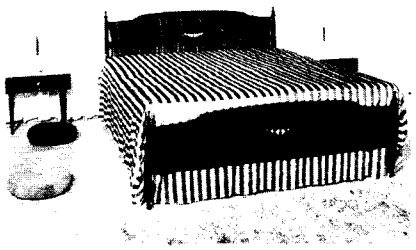

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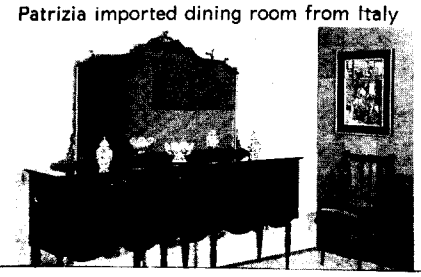

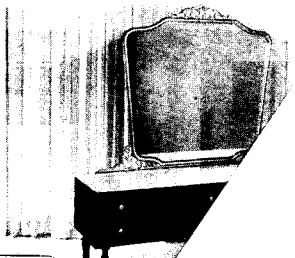

SLAVIA SLAMS HELLAS

GEORGE YELLAND sums up the Dockerty Cup final

With a controlled display of top class, disciplined Soccer, Port Melbourne Slavia wrote their name into the record books of Victorian Soccer at Olympic Park, last Sunday.

Playing the nearest approach to professional Soccer that I have seen this season, they systematically carved South Melbourne Hellas into little pieces and took out the Dockerty Cup with consummate ease.

Willie Schroif gave another fine exhibition in goal, making several brilliant saves from Ulysses Kokkinos, Hellas' only dangerous forward.

Sandy Jones, David High and Billy Cook were in top form. They formed an impregnable barrier to the Hellas forwards. Tommy Randles and Jock Goodwin were brilliant wing halves, industrious throughout in defence and attack.

The forward line clicked and as a result Slavia looked a complete team, producing the sort of play for which we have looked in vain during the season just completed.

After starting brightly, Hellas faded badly and never posed a real threat to Slavia. Only Kelly, Bedford and Kokkinos showed fighting spirit and it was evident that the Middle Park side lacked harmony.

Nestorides gave a poor display and appeared more concerned with "instructing" the Referee than getting on with the game. Ackerley and Kambouropoulos were completey ineffective and Damianakos and Kokkinos were left to struggle on their own for most of the game.

Roussis was drawn out of position too easily and Pyrgolios never recaptured his form of last week after giving away that needless penalty after 25 minutes play.

Neither Litopoulos nor Wenzel was up to standard and their half-time replacements, Kagioglou and Mantarakes were no improvement. Goodwin's penalty kick was a model. He stroked it into the net with his foot, wrong footing Wenzel in the process.

Ian Reid flashed home a brilliant header following a great centre from Holmes after he had turned on a burst of speed to retrieve a ball which appeared to be going out of play.

The way in which Litopoulos flattened Reid as he scored, must have brought a second penalty had the ball not gone into the net. Reid shot at every opportunity but was off target or weak on most occasions. His ball distribution was excellent and frequently put the opposing defence into a tangle.

Jurecki weaved his way through or round the opposition rearguard, many times and his beautiful ball control led to him scoring the third goal from an acute angle.

Livingston, who, along with Rainey showed terrific speed down the wings, scored the fourth goal, only a minute from the end.

Randles reecived the Cup from the hands of Mrs. Dockerty and holding it proudly aloft was chaired from the arena by his delighted team-mates.

Having won the Ampol Night Cup earlier in the year and the Harry Armstrong Reserves Cup earlier in the afternoon, the Slavia club achieved a unique treble for the first time ever.

It was regrettable that two players of Hellas were, for no apparent reason, absent from the presentation ceremony.

Black marks to:

- The idiots that threw cans on to the field to demonstrate their bad sportsmanship, or childish disappointment. I did not see one poor decision by the Referee OR his linesmen.
- The voice over the public address system which described our Dockerty Cup Final as the "Grand" Final. It was a Soccer match, not Aussie Rules.
- Nestorides for his repeated dissent in gesticulating to the crowd and "chatting" the referee, every time things went wrong for him; which was often.
- The thousands of Soccer followers who did not come to watch their own cup final.

Bouquets to:

- The person (presumably Mr. Edgar) responsible for the careful planning of the pre-match presentation to officials and the cup presentation after it.
- The whole Slavia team for the finest display of Soccer as it should be played and putting it on for the Cup Final.
- The Victoria Police for an efficient job done without fuss.
- The faithful followers of the game who turned up as usual and were rewarded with a fine afternoon and good entertainment.

Teams:

Port Melbourne Slavia: Schroif Jones, High, Randles, Cook, Goodwin, Livingston, Reid, Jurecki, Holmes and Rainey.

South Melbourne Hellas: Wenzel, Litopoulos, Kelly, Bedford, Roussis, Pyrgolios, Kokkinos, Kambouropoulos, Nestorides, Ackerley and Damianakos. Kagioglou replaced Wenzel and Mantarakes replaced Litopoulos at half-time.

Crwd: 8,614.

Referee: Mr. D. Maitland. Linesmen: Mr. D. Wootten, Mr. R. Lamb.

RESERVE CUP

Slavia won the Harry Armstrong Reserves team cup by defeating Polonia with a last minute goal, scored by Charlie McCorquodale.

An even game flowed from end to end and seemed likely to end in a scoreless draw, for much good approach work was spoiled by poor finishing.

Young Eddie Klimczak was Polonia's most dangerous attacker and had bad luck on many occasions with good efforts.

Hunter, in goal, performed well after a shaky start and foiled the Polonia forwards repeatedly. King, Prior and McGregor took the eye in Slavia's defence and McCorquodale, Gardener and Pollak in attack.

T. Ducki looks like following in the steps of Snopkowski, Majerczak and Dobrzynski for Polonia. He gave a competent and promis[illegible] show in goal. He had no cha[illegible] with the only one that passed h[illegible]

Eddie Marmur played well in [illegible] inside forward berth and initia[illegible] a number of fine attacking mo[illegible] which fizzled out due to too m[illegible] short passes in the penalty area.

Katolik provided a touch of cl[illegible] in most of his work, but he [illegible] lacked final penetration.

Teams:

Polonia: Ducki, Orlinski Lipiari[illegible] Cierpisz, Wlodarczyk, Sowula, [illegible] Wrobel, Katolik, Klimczak, Mar[illegible] and J. Wrobel.

Port Melbourne Slavia: Hun[illegible] King, Dunauro, Prior, Zamatta, [illegible] Gregor, Conti, McCorquod[illegible] Mathieson, Gardner and Pol[illegible] Kehayas replaced Conti at half-ti[illegible]

Referee: Mr. H. Verniers.

Linesmen: Mr. B. Finnegan, [illegible] D. Yelland.

MIKE JURECKI (Slavia) gets the better of a Hellas player in the Docketry Cup final on Sunday.

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Dave McIntosh quits Sunshine

Sunshine City, the gallant first division side who disposed of both Melbourne and Alexander before going under to Slavia in the Dockerty Cup, have suffered a severe blow with the resignation of team coach, Dave McIntosh.

The coach and club have parted on the best terms and one reason only has influenced Dave to resign.

The fact he lives in Beaumaris means considerable travelling several times a week to Sunshine.

A Scot, Dave played with junior club, Kilsyth Rangers, before joining the Scottish League side, Stirling Albion.

He gave many years service to Hakoah and Victoria as a full back before hanging up his boots as a player.

Although he's a qualified physiotherapist and has a certificate for coaching, he's in fact an executive in the insurance business.

Dave resides at 7 Powis Dve., Beaumaris. I have a strong feeling he'll be back in the game even before the night Soccer series starts as the coach of a State League side.

DOUBLE BLOW TO APIA

APIA, strong favorites to retain the Australian Cup, have suffered a set-back through full back or centre half, Cliff van Blerk, being suspended for three weeks after being sent off in the Sydney Grand Final, against St. George Budapest.

Van Blerk's suspension is for competitive games and that's why he was allowed to play against Juventus, last Thursday. Unless APIA reach the Australian Cup final, the South African defender can hang his boots up for the season.

Injured in the Grand Final, Ricardo Campana, the Argentinian inside forward of Apia, has undergone a cartilage operation and in consequence is a write-off for the rest of this season.

Well informed reports suggest this spells the end of Campana's Soccer career. Which will certainly be a blow to APIA.

FREE TRANSFER FOR HANLON

John Hanlon, the former Melbourne inside forward of three years back who returned to Scotland, was recently given a free transfer by Scottish second division side, Stranraer.

AUSTRALIAN CUP — RULES AND REGULATIONS

The A.S.F. recently issued a comprehensive list of rules and regulations for the Australian Cup covering eight foolscap pages which embodied every aspect of the competition.

Too lengthy to publish in full, I have condensed them and present those which I feel are really important to the fans:

NEW LAW FOR GOALKEEPERS

The rule restricting the goalkeeper to four steps before disposing of the ball will be introduced for the Australian Cup games.

This is not new, however, to Australia. For the South Australian clubs have for several weeks now implemented this ruling at the directive of the Australian Soccer Federation.

This should favor Croatia's opponents who'll also have ground advantage in the first round game in Adelaide.

DRAWN GAMES

In the event of a drawn game at the end of the regulation 90 min. period of play, 10 mins. extra time will be played each way. If still a draw, five mins. extra time will be played.

If the game still remains a tie then the toss of a coin will decide the winner. This system will apply up to and including the semi-final matches.

In the final if the teams are still square after 30 mins. extra time has been played a replay will take place at a time and venue decided by the A.S.F.

PLAYERS

Late arrivals from overseas will be eligible to take part in the Australian Cup competition providing they have been cleared by the A.S.F. and registered by their clubs within their State Federations.

SUBSTITUTES

A goalkeeper can be replaced at any time during a match. In addition one outfield player can be replaced up to and including half time. Once replaced a player cannot resume.

Replacement of a player shall not be subject to the authority of either a medical officer or referee or both.

DISCIPLINE

Any players ordered off will be dealt with by the State Federation Disciplinary Comittee to which they belong.

ROVERS TO PLAY AT SELWYN PARK

Albion Rovers, the second division side who are expected to make a strong bid to gain first division status next season, are likely to share Selwyn Park with George Cross, in 1968.

I believe the Rovers have all but given the O.K. for the ground and this is likely to be confirmed at the next meeting of the Sunshine Council.

ADELAIDE GAME

Croatia (Melbourne) play West Adelaide Hellas in the Australia Cup, who last Saturday defeated Croatia (S.A.) 5-1. The Melbourne side face a tough task and are less optimistic in facing the Hellas side than they would have been playing their counterparts, Croatia (S.A.).

Here is Croatia's itinerary:—

Official party of 16 to travel to Adelaide are —

Goalkeepers: John Young, Mirko Kovacek.

Full Backs: Duncan MacKay, Frank Bot, Drago Bozicevic.

Centre Half: Hugh Gunn.

Wing Halves: Horst Rau, William McArthur.

Forwards: Brian Adlam, Alfred Glaser, William Vojtek, Jim Mackay, Hamilton McMeechan, William McIntyre.

Coach: Jim Adam.

Secretary-Manager: Frank Burin.

Venue: Hindmash Stadium (Adelaide), 3 p.m., Saturday, October 7.

Time of departure from Melbourne: Friday, October 6, at 7.50 p.m. by Ansett A.N.A.

Time of arrival in Adelaide: 8.30 p.m.

Staying while in Adelaide: Park Royal Motel.

Time of departure from Adelaide: Saturday, October 7, by Ansett A.N.A. for Melbourne.

Probable Line-up: 1. Young or Kovacek. 2. MacKay D. 3. Bot or Bozicevic. 4. Rau. 5. Gunn. 6. McArthur. 7. Adlam. 8. Glaser. 9. Vojtek W. 10. MacKay J. 11. McMeechan or McIntyre.

CON NESTORIDES (No. 9) of Hellas looks on as Billy Cook (centre) of Slavia heads the ball away from Ernie Ackerley (Hellas) in the Dockety Cup final.

JANCZYK CALLS IT A DAY

By STEPHEN KALUS

Vic Janczyk, captain coach of Polonia, has announced his retirement as a player.

Janczyk's decision came as a shock to Polonia's officials and team-mates, as at 36, he was still the idol and top player of the team and was voted best on the field in the last Dockerty Cup games.

Janczyk had a most colorful career in Australia since coming from Poland in 1959. The "brain" of the Polish team, he was mostly responsible for a string of successes which Polonia enjoyed since Janczyk took over as a captain and coach. The Polish team won in one year the Ampol Cup, the Dockerty Cup and was runner up for the Australia Cup, beaten by Slavia in a sensational game at Olympic Park in 1963.

Vic also won the Argus medal in 1960 for the best and fairest player. He represented Victoria several times against overseas teams including Everton and Torpedo, was an adviser for the Australian selectors overseas teams including Scotland and Manchester United and was captain-coach for the Victorian team for 3 seasons.

Janczyk established an all Australian record playing 305 games for Polonia Melbourne, although having a year's spell after going back to Poland in 1962 (played one season for his home club LKS-Lodz).

Under Vic's supervision, several junior players like Olinowski, Dobsynski, Knot, Marmur, Adamczyk and others became stars of Polonia's team.

● Read next week's exclusive story to Soccer News of a player who made history in the game in Victoria.

Brighton win 3-1 in Mt. Gambier

Brighton Club went to Mt. Gambier, where they beat International Mount Gambier 3-1 in a charity game.

On Sunday the team visited the Blue Lake and after morning training they went to Vanseeter Park, which is the local Aussie Rules ground. This was only the second time Soccer had been played on this ground, the other team being Juventus (Vic.).

The day was good, the pitch was excellent and a crowd of 600 watched an entertaining game. The Guide Dogs for the Blind Association gained over $100 as a result of proceeds.

Brighton played well, with Ron Langdon in good form, as too were Jim Kapsis, Pat Fallon, Gil Walker and Slade in goal.

Division standard.

Ron Langdon received the best player award in the Brighton side from the President of the S.E. Association, Mr Stewart Fanton.

Later a champagne party was held at the Commodore Motel put on by Brighton's secretary, Frank Westley.

Brighton team: Slade, Walker, Coote, Kapsis, Evans, Cooke, Langdon, Torrance, Clover, Vest, Latto, Fallon.

Officials: F. Westley (sec.), D. Willing (treasurer).

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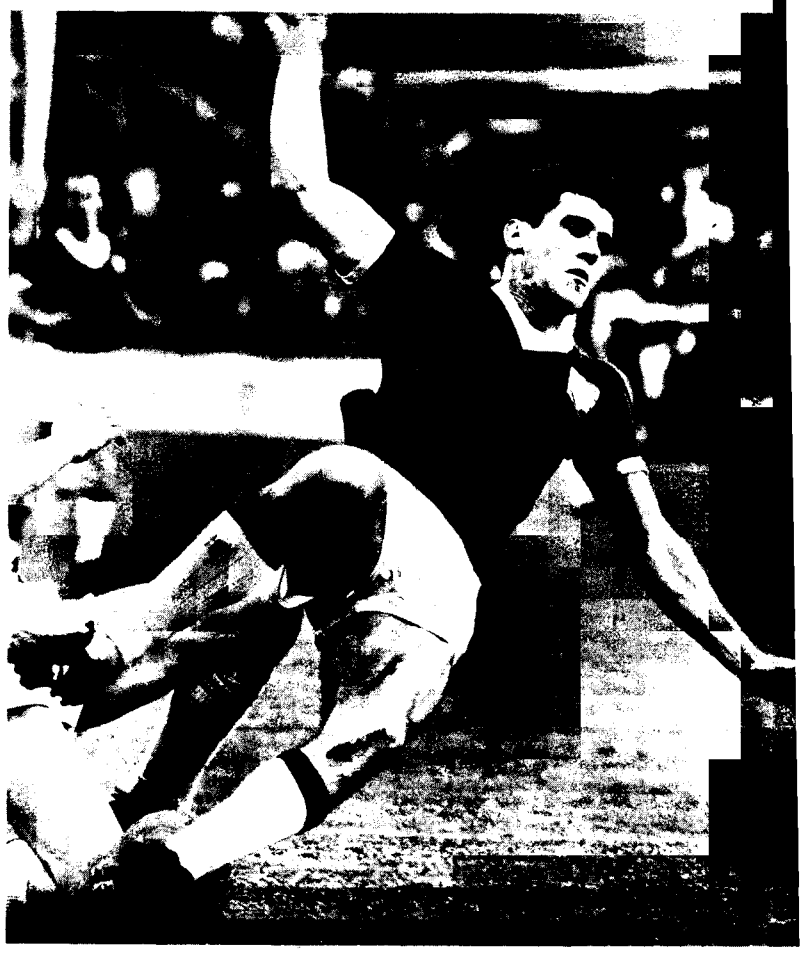
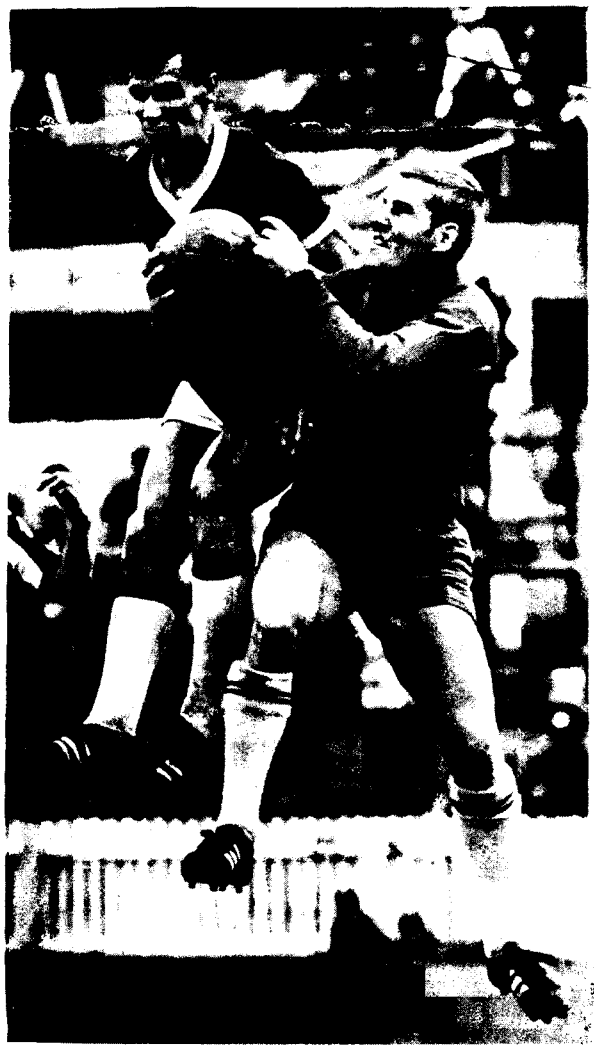


Soccer fans who saw the Apia-Juventus clash at St. Kilda last Thursday will remember on of the best interstate players ever to play on a Victorian ground. JOHN WATKISS, Apia Juventus was defeated 7-2 and Watkiss scored four times. Here are three pictures of Watkiss in action.

ABOVE LEFT: He pounces onto the ball to shoot for goal. ABOVE RIGHT: He is "floored" and is awarded a free kick. BELOW LEFT: Juventus goalie Dieter Voigt just managed t snatch the ball from Watkiss. BELOW RIGHT: Apia keeper Brian Taylor in full flight.



It was Slavia's day when they won the Dockerty Cup for the third time in the past four years. **Above:** Ulyssus Kokkinos stumbles as Graham Rainey's knee gets in his way. **Above right:** Graham Rainey and Boulis Kamboropoulos fight for the ball.

Right, Slavia captain Tommy Randels is presented with the Dockerty Cup by Mr. John Dockerty.

Below: The team that won the Cup, from left to right, Willie Schroiff, Garry Holmes, David High, Jock Goodwin, Tommy Randles, Ian Livingstone, Sandy Jones, Ian Reed, Billy Cook, Graham Rainey, Mike Jurecki, John Pick and Paddy Sloan. The other Cup in the picture is the Harry Armstrong Cup, won by Slavia's reserve team.

JUNIOR SOCCER

They've scored 96

SUNSHINE CITY UNDER 10s

Undefeated League premiers also Cup runners-up.

Back row (left to right): Anton Cardona, Alan Johnstone, Joseph Borrelli, Saviour Azzopardi, Terry Banagan.

Centre row (left to right): Chris Wilson, Joseph Kiss, Joseph Palma, Michael McNally.

Sitting (left to right): (Sleeping) Jeffrey Banagan, Adam Boslem.

Missing are: Allan Harraden, Reinhart Martschinke, Billy Jordanou.

This year Sunshine Under 10s have had their best year ever, in winning the League premiership. They have been undefeated, and have scored 96 goals for 2 against. Out of the 96 goals C. Wilson has scored 44, and J. Palma has collected 26.

These stars of the future have also been runners-up to Sunshine Heights in the WSSF Cup, and are in the running for JMC Cup.

This year's best and fairest went to C. Wilson with A. Cardona runner-up, and J. Palma third.

The happiness in this team is the close friendship between the boys, as there are 12 different nations engaged in this one under 10 squad.

A sincere thanks from the boys goes to their team manager, Mr Alf Harraden.

A. ALEKSIC (coach)

All results of Victorian Junior Cup matches played last week-end:

Under 18 — Semi-finals: Ardeer-Polonia 3 (Kuzara, Wrobel, own goal Milenkovic) d. Footscray-J.U.S.T. 2 (Kennedy, Lindberg). Best — Ardeer: T. Kuzara, K. Wroble, C. Cempiel. J.U.S.T.: R. Borojevic, M. Simic, J. Evans.

Slavia 1 (B. Neal) d. George Cross 0.

Under 16 — Semi-finals: Footscray-J.U.S.T. 2 (Milisavljevic 2) drew with Melbourne 2 (Rusko, Wallace). Best — J.U.S.T.: R. Banda, P. Distefano, J. Laird. Melbourne: J. Wallace, Tapolczay, Agardy.

Possible replay next Sunday at Olympic Park.

Newport 2 (Zammit, Neal) d. Hellas 1. Best — Newport: W. Kinder, T. Zombola, C. Neal.

Under 14 — Semi-finals: Alexander 2 (Coathup, McKenna) d. Footscray-J.U.S.T. 1 (Scarpaci). Best — Alexander: S. Jennings, Coathup, J. Pattison. J.U.S.T.: D. Rajacic, J. Picioane, S. Pene.

Under 12 — Final

Altona 4 (Little 3, Roberts) d. Ringwood - Wilhelmina 1 (own goal). The teams — Altona: G. Bebend, P. Thomson, T. Gibson, P. Gramsbergen, A. Donnelly, R. Gilpin, A. Spencer, B. Roberts, N. Little, P. Reardon, R. O'Sullivan, R. Dunlop, S. Hayes.

Ringwood — M. Tattersall, J. van Dinzher, T. Purdie, N. Swinburn, W. Burgers, Q. Waldron, M. Brown, C. Mullett, S. Pongho, T. Moore, S. Goodchild, L. Smids.

NEXT WEEK — FINALS:

Under 10 — J.U.S.T. v. Sunshine City at Altona Ground, Sunday, 8/10/67, at 1 p.m.

Under 14 — Ardeer v. Alexander at Altona Ground Sunday 8/10/67, 2.30 p.m.

Australia Cup draw

● Continued from page 3

Footscray - J.U.S.T. are much in the same boat. They have not a sure-fire side. In fact, compared with former years, the Footscray team is only a mere shadow of what it was.

They have lost much of the art in the ball playing skills and techniques for which they gained much admiration a few years back.

In fact, they are only another team as far as I'm concerned substituting devil for skill. And all season they have had a right wing problem which still remains unsolved despite a variety of permutations for the position.

J.U.S.T. will as usual rely mainly on Frank Micic to act as the go between defence and attack and up front are bound to place emphasis on the striking power of Welsh centre forward and goal getter Tony Hughes.

Summing-up: Hard to separate this pair. Neither have any real edge over the other. I'm only tipping Juventus as they have more potential in attack.

Line-ups (from):

Juventus: Voigt, Sonsini, Gentry, Luckhurst, Closs, Scott, Della Rocca, Torcque, Millar, Norman, Di Marchi, Bell, Pignatelli, Malloy. Coach: Mario Corti.

Footscray - J.U.S.T.: S. Kazi, Handricks, Rusmir, Micic, Rice, Cirkovic, Dixon, Mladenovic, Hughes, Gakovic, Adamovic, A. Kazi, Mratinovic. Coach: Zdonimir Rasic.

W.A. HELLAS or CROATIA (S.A.) v. CROATIA (Vic.)

Croatia face a stiff task in Adelaide. One has only to recap that in 1965 Juventus of Adelaide slaughtered Slavia 4-0 at Olympic Park in the second round of the competition while S.M. Hellas only scrambled through 1-0 against Juventus also at Olympic Park, in the quarter - finals, in the same year.

In 1966, Melbourne cracked a tough nut in beating West Adelaide Hellas 1-0 in the first round at Adelaide.

Home ground advantage plus the support of the home ground mean a lot in cup-tie Soccer. And especially since the distance involved is considerable.

Croatia will need to turn on nothing short of their best performance if they hope to overcome the hurdle and get among the plums for the next round.

I feel Croatia, if they play in top gear, can do it. They have the skill both in defence and attack to more than match their opponents. They are fit and dedicated and have the experienced Duncan McKay in defence with goal grabber Billy Vojtek, in attack.

However, Croatia with their fast-moving style are inclined to go off the deep end, get careless especially when they are in the lead and sometimes find themselves struggling when they should have a game well won. They must settle and stay settled without throwing caution to the wind in trying to finish a game all too quickly.

If it's West Adelaide Hellas who meet Croatia then two former Victorians are likely to be included in the South Australian team, Peter Tsitos the goalkeeper, and Con Solopitias, the inside forward, both former South Melbourne Hellas players.

Tsitos has recently displaced another former Sth. Melbourne Hellas player, Sam Service, who also played for Alexander.

An interesting note on the West Adelaide Hellas coach, Tom Forde, is he played for Ireland in full international matches against both Scotland and England in 1961. Tom plays at right half.

King-pin of the Croatia (S.A.) side is inside forward Billy Birch, ex-Crystal Palace. However, Birch has been under suspension although he could be eligible to play the Melbourne side if his team wins through.

Line-up (from):

Croatia (Vic.): Young, D. McKay, Bot, Rau, Gunn, McArthur, Adlam, Glaser, Vojtek, J. McKay, McMeechan, McIntyre. Coach: Jim Adam.

WEST GERMAN BUNDESLIGA

Eintracht Braunschweig 2, Alemannia Aachen 0; Borussia Monchengladbach 5, Hannover 96 1; Munchen 1860 0, MSV Duisburg 1; Eintracht Frankfurt 2, Bayern Munchen 3; Schalke 04 0, 1 FC Nurnberg 0; Hamburger SV 3, Borussia Dortmund 2; Borussia Neunkirchen 3, Karlsruher SC 2; 1 FC KOLN 1, Werder Bremen 4.

Leading Teams: Nurnberg 13-3, Monchengladbach 11-5, Bayern Munchen, 11-5.

EAST GERMAN OBERLIGA

Karl Zeiss Jena 2, Chemie Halle 2; Union Berlin 1, Lokomotive Leipzig 0; FC Magdeburgk 1, Hansa Rostock 0.

Leading Teams: Karl Zeiss Jena 10-4, Union Berlin 10-4, Hansa Rostock 9-5, FC Magdeburg 9-5.

Brentford 4
Doncaster 2

COCK-A-HOOP Brentford galloped to their Second League win in five days with a display of old-fashioned all-aggression Soccer.

The goals that eluded them against Swansea on Tuesday came cascading against Doncaster.

Three in sixteen minutes at the start of the second half gave the Bees the victory margin their spirited and intelligent raiding deserved.

Edwards, on loan from Portsmouth put them 2—1 up in the forty-sixth minute.

(Jeffrey flicked a deft equaliser for Doncaster. Then defenders Jones and Thomson completed Brentford's blitz.

John Hines shows the Dockerty Cup to South Melbourne Hellas team-mates Dimitrios Pyrgolios (centre) and Andrew Roussis.

John Hines (left) and Ross Gigliotti, treasurer of Juventus and accountant of the E.S. & A. Bank's Carlton Branch inspect the Cup.

SOCCER SHOW AT COLLINGWOOD

The Dockerty Cup has been on display at the English Scottish and Australian Bank Limited, 132 Smith St., Collingwood.

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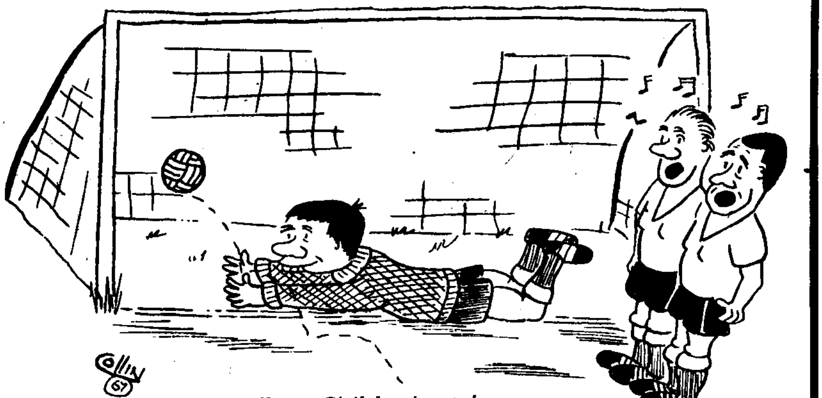

Happy Birthday to you!

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LETTERS

SIR, — When will the Federation really make an effort to disregard some of the foreign names in Australian Soccer? I think the VSF Board should set an example, especially those men on it who represent foreign-named clubs.

Mr Weinstein, the chairman, is typical. Why doesn't he do something about his own club, Hakoah? This name means nothing to the Australian. Why even the founder, Mr Shatin, doesn't even attend games today.

To give the club a new look and new life, it should be called St. Kilda. Only this way will the team win local support. Polonia and Slavia are others who should drop these ridiculous names which mean nothing in this country.

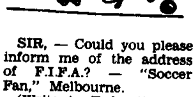
E. C. CANDY,
Sandgate Road, Blackburn.

Sir,—As a regular reader of your paper and really enjoying every bit of Junior news in it, I would like to ask you if you could spare a little space to mention the Hakoah Soccer Club and Juniors.

Last Sunday four Fortuna (Morwell) Junior teams visited Hakoah Juniors to play friendly after-season games. Up to 150 Juniors took part in five games and full credit must go to Hakoah committee members for such a well organised day and wonderful reception.

Fortuna '60 is really looking forward to be their host next season.

Yours,
L. ADRICHEM, Sec., Fortuna Junior Soccer Club, 4 Williams Street, Morwell, 3840.



SIR, — Could you please inform me of the address of F.I.F.A.? — "Soccer Fan," Melbourne.

(Write to Federation Internationale de Football Association, Hitzigweg 11, 8032 Zurich, Switzerland. — Editor).

SIR, — I used to follow Soccer back home and since settling in Australia I seldom miss a Sunday or Saturday game, and as a regular reader of your paper I am fully aware of all the troubles the administration of Soccer is facing. But after watching last Sunday's semi-final of the Dockerty Cup between Hellas and Hakoah I am not surprised that the attendance is falling and the decline of the game in Victoria will go on season by season.

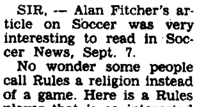
I am convinced that the poor refereeing of vital games is the main sickness of the game. Last Sunday's match was the only one in Melbourne and a very good crowd attended the game, but hundreds of people left the ground before the end of the main game between Hellas and Hakoah. The reason was undoubtedly wrong decisions given by the whistle men.

The game, which was played in a most sportsmanlike atmosphere, was spoiled by the referee. Apart from several wrong decisions he made two vital mistakes which cost one of the teams the game. He disallowed a goal in the first minute for Hakoah when Hellas' goalkeeper was pushed holding the ball into the goalmouth. And the only goal "scored" by Hellas was from a clear offside position.

Both linesmen waved the flag, but this was not enough for the referee.

I wish to stress that I am not interested in any of the Melbourne clubs. I watch games of Soccer, because I love the round ball and it's a pity that instead of prosperity of Soccer in Victoria, which we would all enjoy, we can see that the game has no future as long as our administrators send irresponsible people to control matches.

W. C. SMITH,
31 Barclay St., Footscray.



SIR, — Alan Fitcher's article on Soccer was very interesting to read in Soccer News, Sept. 7.

No wonder some people call Rules a religion instead of a game. Here is a Rules player that is so interested in Soccer, and admits its great skill, and looked forward to seeing Soccer on television every Thursday night.

He seems to admit that there is more skill in Soccer than Rules, yet sticks to Rules, because he was trained to Rules as a youth, like a religion he can't change it; he would be ostracised by his fellow Rules players, etc.

In his criticism of a few points I can only agree with one, that is the names of some of the teams.

— JOHN W. GILL, 22 Grey St., East Geelong 3219.

SIR, — With reference to Soccer News "letters," September 21. I am controlling 35 mm films which are only suitable for picture theatres.

Shell have an excellent 16 mm coaching film (color) for hire. It is locally made showing junior training. It runs for about 20 to 35 minutes. — MAX GARRETT, 2 Glenhaven Road, Glenhaven, N.S.W.

SIR, — On behalf of the Soccer Clubs in Latrobe Valley, both senior and junior, I would like to take this opportunity to accord a vote of thanks to you and your staff for the assistance given to us in publishing our League Ladder and Fixtures, each week.

Hoping that by this step your circulation somewhat improved. It was greatly appreciated. — R. STEEL, Secretary, Latrobe Valley Soccer Federation.

LOU DE BONO STEPS DOWN

Lou de Bono, president of George Cross and highly-rated official of the Victorian Soccer Federation, is retiring from active Soccer due to ill health.

De Bono will be replaced as president of George Cross by the well-known referee Joe Bartolo.

De Bono will go back to Malta in March for a six months' holiday and while in his native country will look for top players willing to join George Cross. (S. Kalus).

CROATIA WIN A.C.T. FINAL

By RICHARD LAWSON

As was expected, Croatia-Deakin won the A.C.T. Soccer Grand Final, though Cooma United made them fight all the way for their 2-1 victory.

Croatia scored in the 13th and 41st minutes through Cumming and King, with Payer replying for Cooma in the 43rd.

With four minutes remaining, Feher, Croatia's goalie, made a great save from Tomadini and saved the game for his side.

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FRED VILLIERS

THERE HAVE BEEN 656 matches played in the European Cup since it started 13 seasons ago. Guess how many teams have lost the first leg at home yet won the tie on their opponent's ground?

The answer is precisely ONE — Milan in 1955. Milan lost 4-3 at home to First FC Saarbrucken (West Germany) but won the away leg by 4-1 after having the temerity to play almost a reserve side in the home match.

Such a staggering statistic is not designed to improve the morale of Celtic, the European champions, who were recently well beaten in Glasgow by a highly-competent Russian team, Kiev Dynamo.

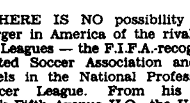
The result shocked thousands of Australian-Scots who follow Celtic's activities with intense interest. They were hoping for a repeat performance next year but I believe Celtic's task is almost an impossible one.

The whole history of this competition, the world's most un-nerving club tournament, points to home success being a vital ingredient of victory.

And, for the first time, in the European Cup, goals scored away from home count double. This applies for the first two rounds, until the quarter final is reached.

It's a new rule this season which has been given fragile publicity. Not even the chairman of Celtic, Mr. Bob Kelly, knew about it until after the Russian shock result. It means Celtic must win by two clear goals in Kiev.

And here is a final news item of interest to Celtic's attack-conscious team. Kiev Dynamo have conceded only nine goals in 25 League matches this season.



THERE IS NO possibility of a merger in America of the rival Soccer Leagues — the F.I.F.A.-recognised United Soccer Association and the rebels in the National Professional Soccer League. From his New York Fifth Avenue H.Q., the U.S.A.'s Soccer Commissioner Dick Walsh, said in a Press interview this week: "We made a good attempt to resolve the problems. But now there is the £6,000,000 law-suit which the N.P.S.L. have taken out against us and they also would not agree to our main points. They have suffered many red financial figures. We are already making plans for 1968 on the same lines as 1967 — a short season, not a tremendously costly one, giving America a better class of Soccer-football. I have new contracts signed by 18 British players on my desk right now".

FERENC PUSKAS, new $20,000-a-year manager of the Golden Gate Gales (San Francisco) came to Germany with $160,000 to spend on recruits for his American (official) team. He's due in England soon. Watch the queue.

FRED RENDERING, South of the Yarra Junior disciplinary chairman, would like to see all junior Federations in Victoria with the same rules. Only way they can achieve this, he says, is for all junior bodies to get-together. There's no need for the V.S.F. to give money to schools. "I went into a school on the Mornington Peninsula last week and they had 17 Soccer balls and not a single coach", he told me.

GIMMICKS play a big part in any promotion and Juventus deserve credit for their latest piece of ballyhoo. They've produced an ashtray which shows their club badge and includes the words "Do you belong to Juventus Soccer Club?" They're selling like hot cakes at 60 cents. Next promotion will be a beautiful silk tie in club colors.

There's no doubt this is one club which is really on the ball and the fact that they're wealthy reflects well on the excellent team of businessmen who run their committee.

I'M NOT SAYING Dave Maitland isn't a good referee, but why give him the Dockerty Cup final again? It was his second in three years. Doesn't give much incentive to the other refs. And one of his linesmen, Bobby Lamb, had been using the whistle all the year. Surely this is one occasion when up-and-coming referees should be honored.

Celtic can't make it

IF THE Victorian Federation Board has any consideration for its client — the poor suffering, dwindling Soccer public of this State — they should think again. Their decision last week not to accept the Dallas Tornado American team to play in Melbourne early next year was a bad one.

We know American Soccer has nothing to offer in the way of "big name" players. But who cares. To see these Cowboy players in Melmourne wearing their big wide brimmed Texas hats, would have given the game a much-needed publicity boost. A lift our game can't afford to miss. Wake up V.S.F.! It's time we had some modern and progressive thinking from the eight men who control the game in Victoria.

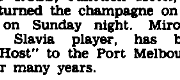
F.I.F.A. TELL ME they expect a biggest-ever entry for the World Cup in Mexico, 1970 . . . including 12 from Asian countries keen to emulate the North Koreans' success last year. Closing date for entries is December 15. Already they are pouring in, with Wales the British early birds. F.I.F.A. still await word from England, Scotland and Ireland.

IAN MACDONALD did a good job in goal for Juventus on Show Day trying to stop that APIA bombardment. Considering it was his first game since the night series, he did well to keep the tally down to seven.

CONGRATULATIONS! To Slavia on winning the Dockerty Cup and to their captain, Tommy Randles, in winning the Sporting Globe suit for the "Sportsman of the Week".

THINGS ARE NOT going too well with that Melbourne daily newspaper I mentioned here last week. On Saturday they advertised the Harry Armstrong Reserve Cup as the "Hurry On—Strong Cup".

WE'D CERTAINLY attract more fans to Soccer in Melbourne if we had a few players like Johnny Watkiss, the APIA (Sydney) sharpshooter. Looking at the Sydneyites at St. Kilda Cricket Ground on Show Day proved one thing. The N.S.W. players are far fitter than those in Victoria. Yes, APIA have a great team, and they've got my money to win the Australia Cup this year.



MIRO ROSS, Junction Hotel, St. Kilda, turned the champagne on for Slavia on Sunday night. Miro, a former Slavia player, has been "Mien Host" to the Port Melbourne club for many years.

NICE GESTURE from Slavia players presenting Mrs. Dockerty, wife of the late Cup donator, Harry J. Dockerty, with a bouquet after the Cup final. Gave their autographs too.

FIRST CLUB to become a limited company in Victoria is Juventus, the State League runners-up. The big day was September 22. It's a step in the right direction. Others may follow suit.

DON'T TAKE any notice of that 5-1 defeat of Melbourne against J.U.S.T. on Saturday. Melbourne, I'm told, were "just taking it easy". But they're dead set on winning the Australia Cup. We'll see.

POOLS CHECK

Complete Treble Chance check for Littlewoods, Copes and Soccer. Nos. 1-52 apply to Vernons. 1-50 to Zetters and Empire.

Result	1	X	2	1	2	1	X	1	1	1	X	2	2	X	1	1	2	1	1	X	1	2	2	X	1	1
No.	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	25	26

Result	X	2	X	1	1	2	1	2	1	1	1	X	1	X	X	1	2	1	2	1	X	X	1	2	2	X	X
No.	27	28	29	30	31	32	33	34	35	36	37	38	39	40	41	42	43	44	45	46	47	48	49	50	51	52	53

KEEP WORKING

Be nice to the boss if you've won the treble chance. There were up to fifteen draws on the coupons and it will be a poor pay-out.

DIVISION I

BURNLEY ...... (0)....2	Casper, Coates	FULHAM ..... (0)....0		14,122
CHELSEA ..... (0)....1	Boyle	COVENTRY .... (0)....1	Clements	29,800
LEICESTER ... (0)....0		EVERTON .... (1)....2	Ball 2	22,370
LIVERPOOL ... (1)....2	Thompson, Smith (pen)	STOKE .... (1)....1	Dobing	50,220
MAN. CITY ... (1)....1	Bell	MAN. UTD. ... (2)....2	Charlton 2	63,000
NEWCASTLE . (1)....2	Davies, B. Robson (pen)	ARSENAL .... (0)....1	Graham	33,350
SHEFF. W. ... (1)....2	Mobley, Ritchie	WOLVES ...... (1)....2	Knowles, Evans	35,177
SOUTH'PTON . (1)....2	Paine, Davies	NOTTM. F. ... (0)....1	Lyons	26,724
SPURS .... (2)....3	Todd (o g), Greaves 2	SUNDERLAND . (0)....0		36,017
W B A .... (2)....4	Astle 3, Brown	SHEFF. UTD. . (1)....1	Reece	15,261
WEST HAM ... (0)....0		LEEDS .... (0)....0		28,940

	HOME						AWAY					
P.	W.	D.	L.	F.	A.		W.	D.	L.	F.	A.	Pts
10	5	0	0	14	2	Liverpool	2	1	2	3	3	15
10	3	2	0	11	7	Sheff. W.	3	0	2	7	7	14
10	4	1	0	10	1	Arsenal	2	0	3	8	9	13
10	4	1	0	13	4	Spurs	2	0	3	6	14	13
9	2	2	0	7	4	Man. U.	2	2	1	8	7	12
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10	4	1	1	14	6	Man. C.	1	0	3	5	7	11
10	4	1	0	11	4	South'pton	1	0	4	11	14	11
9	3	1	0	8	4	Leeds	1	2	2	2	4	11
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10	1	4	1	11	13	Chelsea	1	0	3	3	11	8
10	2	0	2	6	8	Fulham	1	1	4	5	13	7
10	2	0	3	6	9	Sheff. U.	0	2	3	8	16	6
10	1	0	4	6	9	Leicester	1	1	3	9	10	5

ISTHMIAN LEAGUE.—Corinthian Cas. 2, Hendon 0; Oxford C. 1, Enfield 3; Maidstone Utd. 0, Kingstonian 3; Tooting and M. 2, Woking 0; Wealdstone 2, Wycombe W. 0.

ATHENIAN LEAGUE. — Premier Div.: Harwich and P. 0, Hounslow 2; Leatherhead 2, Walton and H. 1; Redhill 3, Finchley 1; Southall 2, Leyton 0. **Div. I:** Cheshunt 3, Letchworth 0; Worthing 1, Croydon Am. 1. **Div. II:** Horsham 1, Lewes 3; Wingate 2, Aveley 4.

FOOTBALL COMBINATION.—Div. 1: Arsenal 1, Chelsea 2; Gillingham 1, Southampton 1; Northampton 0, West Ham 4. **Div. II:** Bournemouth 1, Fulham 1; Bristol R. 2, Norwich 3; Cardiff 1, Brighton 0; Oxford 1, C. Palace 0.

DIVISION II

BIRMINGHAM (1)....2	Pickering, Vincent	MILLWALL .... (0)....3	Wilson, Weller 2	30,576
BOLTON ...... (1)....1	Phillips	BLACKPOOL .. (1)....2	Oates, Green	16,452
BRISTOL C. .. (3)....3	Garland, Bush, Sharpe	HULL .... (3)....3	Houghton 2 (1 pen), Chilton	11,635
CHARLTON ... (1)....1	Campbell	PLYMOUTH ... (0)....0		11,208
C. PALACE ... (1)....1	Long	Q P R .... (0)....0		38,006
DERBY CO. .. (0)....0		PORTSMOUTH . (0)....1	Smith	27,043
HUDDERSF'D . (0)....2	Clark, Coddington (o g)	BLACKBURN .. (0)....1	Ferguson (pen.)	15,216
IPSWICH ..... (2)....3	Wigg 2, Spearritt	CARLISLE .... (1)....1	Murray	14,099
MIDDLESBRO . (1)....1	Hickton	A. VILLA ..... (1)....1	Godfrey	20,632
PRESTON .... (1)....3	Hannigan 2, Lyall	CARDIFF ..... (0)....0		13,735
ROTHERHAM . (0)....1	Sheffield	NORWICH .... (1)....3	Curran, Manning, Wilcockson (o g)	5,987

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10	2	2	2	14	9	Bolton	1	1	2	4	8	9
10	3	0	2	8	8	Norwich	1	1	3	4	7	9
10	2	1	2	8	10	Huddersf'd	1	1	3	6	10	8
10	2	1	1	9	9	Cardiff	0	2	4	6	13	7
9	2	2	0	5	1	Charlton	0	1	4	3	12	7
10	0	3	2	2	5	Middlesbro	1	2	2	5	11	7
10	2	0	2	4	3	A. Villa	0	1	5	3	13	5
10	1	2	3	8	12	Bristol C.	0	1	3	2	11	5
10	1	0	4	6	14	Rotherham	1	1	3	5	12	5
10	1	1	3	3	6	Hull	0	2	3	7	18	5
10	1	0	3	4	6	Plymouth	1	1	4	2	10	5

RUGBY LEAGUE TOUR MATCH.—Warrington 7 pts., Australians 16. **League.**—Batley 9 pts., Whitehaven 12; Blackpool B. 4, Rochdale 10; Doncaster 13, Huddersfield 3; Featherstone 10, Bramley 3; Halifax 30, York 17; Hunslet 10, Castleford 8; Keighley 2, Bradford N. 14; Leeds 17, Dewsbury 5; Oldham 13, Wigan 17; Workington 6, Leigh 9.

SOUTHERN LEAGUE—Premier Div.—Chelmsford 2, Weymouth 3; Guildford 0, Romford 3; Hereford 3, Hastings 1; Nuneaton 2, Corby 2. **First Div.**—Bedford 1, Trowbridge 0; Folkestone 3, Rugby 0; Gravesend 1, Canterbury 0; Merthyr T. 3, Ashford 1; Wisbech 1, Bath 0.

DIVISION III

BRIGHTON .... (0)....0		NORTH'PTON .. (1)....2	Martin, Mackin (pen)	13,540
MANSFIELD .. (1)....1	Rowland	BURY .... (1)....1	Owen	7,397
PETERBORO .. (0)....2	Mason, Metchick	BOURNEM'TH . (0)....0		7,041
READING ...... (1)....3	Foster, Silvester, Mullen	GRIMSBY ..... (0)....0		7,627
SCUNTHORPE . (0)....1	Sloan	BRISTOL R. .. (0)....1	Munro	3,758
SHREWSBURY (0)....0		WALSALL ..... (0)....1	Baker	8,475
SWINDON .... (0)....2	Bailey (og), Rogers	GILLINGHAM . (1)....2	Brown 2	12,808
TORQUAY ..... (2)....2	Stubbs, Barnes	OLDHAM ...... (1)....1	Ledger	9,595
WATFORD ... (0)....2	Currie, Scullion	OXFORD UTD. (0)....0		11,091

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9	3	2	0	12	4	Reading	2	0	2	5	7	12
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9	3	2	0	13	4	Peterboro'	2	0	2	5	9	12
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9	1	1	2	3	4	Orient	0	2	3	4	13	5
9	1	0	3	6	8	Oldham	0	2	3	3	7	4

RUGBY UNION.—Aldershot S. 3 pts., Oxford 12; Barnstaple 9, Devonport S. 11; Bath 11, Old Wesley 6; Bedford 5, Gloucester 18; Birmingham 74, Middlesex Hosp. 8; Blackheath 18, Coventry 16; Bristol 32, Bridgend 16; Cardiff 5, Aberavon 5; Cornwall Co XV 12, Newbridge 18; Cross Keys 11, Abertillery 3.

Ebbw Vale 10, Swansea 6; Esher 3, U S Portsmouth 28; Exeter 24, Glam. Wdrs. 14; Harlequins 3, Ldn. Welsh 14; Leicester 12, Saracens 5; Ldn. Scottish 32, Ldn. Irish 3; Met. Police 12, Loughboro' Colls. 19; Neath 27, Moseley 14; Newport 19, Llanelli 14; Northampton 25, Bective Rngs. 9, O. Alleynians 21, O. Millhillians 6; Penarth 6, Lydney 6; Pontypool 16, Plymouth A. 8; Pontypridd 6, Maesteg 3; Redruth 6, Taunton 22; Rosslyn Pk. 9, Richmond 11; Rugby 13, Nuneaton 0; St. Mary's H. 3, Streatham & C. 13; Wasps 14, Cheltenham 6; Weston-s-Mare 6, Torquay 11.

DIVISION IV

BRADFORD .. (0)....1	Robinson	BRAD. CITY .. (1)....2	Aimson, Leek	9,552
BRENTFORD .. (1)....4	Lawther, Edwards, Jones, Thomson	DONCASTER .. (1)....2	Jeffrey 2	7,300
CHESTER ..... (1)....2	Loyden, Morris	ALDERSHOT .. (1)....5	Walden, Gowans, Walton, Priscott, Walker	5,380
CHESTERFIELD (3)....3	Hollett 2, Lord	DARLINGTON . (0)....1	Cummins	7,752
CREWE .... (1)....5	Archer, Tarbuck, Talbot 2, Regan	HALIFAX ..... (1)....1	Parks	6,006
NEWPORT ..... (2)....3	Melling 3 (1 pen)	WREXHAM ... (1)....2	Weston 2	5,133
NOTTS CO. ... (0)....0		LINCOLN ...... (0)....0		6,238
PORT VALE ... (1)....4	Poole 2, Chapman, McKenzie	WORKINGTON (2)....2	Tinnion, McLean	4,752
ROCHDALE .... (1)....2	Winspear, Jenkins	LUTON .... (2)....2	Buxton, Rioch	2,004
SWANSEA .... (0)....1	Humphries	EXETER .... (1)....1	Curtis	6,712
YORK C. ...... (0)....2	Provan 2	SOUTHEND .... (1)....2	Smillie, Chisnall	3,945

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9	4	0	0	12	3	Chesterf'd	1	3	1	4	5	13
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9	1	1	2	6	11	Chester	2	0	3	5	8	7
9	2	0	3	9	7	P. Vale	0	2	2	2	6	6
9	1	2	1	5	6	Exeter	0	2	3	4	8	6
9	1	2	2	4	5	Bradford	0	2	2	2	8	6
9	2	0	2	10	8	Work'ton	0	1	4	6	15	5
9	1	2	2	2	3	Notts Co.	0	1	3	4	15	5
9	0	2	3	4	7	York	0	1	3	5	9	3

F A CUP—Second qual. rnd.: Rothwell 1, Camb C. 7; Camb Utd. 3, Ely 1; Lowestoft 3, Sudbury 1; Bury 3, Clacton 2; Marlow 0, Wembley 3; Maidenhead 1, Banbury Utd. 3; Hitchin 3, Dulwich H. 1; Leytonstone 4, Erith and B. 0; Windsor and E. 2, Barking 1.

Barnet 9, Clapton 0; Uxbridge 1, Brentwood 4; Carshalton 3, Hayes 2; Walthamstow Av. 1, Ilford 0; Hampton 3, Hemel H. 2; Sutton 5, Hillingdon 8, 1; Bexley 1, Stevenage 2; Ware 4, Harrow B. 1; Crittall Ath. 2, Hoddesdon 0.

Hornchurch 2, Cray W. 4; Dagenham 2, Dartford 1; Wolverton 1, Bishops St. 3; Slough 3, Hertford 0; Whitstable 1, Dover 7; Tonbridge 2, Chatham 1; Ramsgate 4, Bexhill 1; Deal 1, Margate 4; Wokingham 1, Crawley 5.

Basingstoke 3, Chichester 4; Lancing 1, Haywards H. 1; Eastbourne 2, Eastbourne Utd. 0; Selsey 1, Newport (IOW) 3; Poole 5, Melsham 0; Gloucester 0, Cheltenham 1; Cowes (IOW) 1, Salisbury 1; Kettering 1, Wellingboro 1; Kings Lynn 3, Bourne 1.

SCOTTISH LEAGUE—DIV I

AIRDRIE ...... (2)....2	Goodwin, Phillips	DUNDEE UTD (0)....0	
CLYDE .... (0)....0		FALKIRK ...... (0)....2	Graham, Steele (o g)
DUNDEE ...... (0)....2	G. McLean 2	MOTHERWELL (1)....1	Goldthorpe
DUNFERMLINE (0)....1	Paton	KILMARNOCK (1)....2	McInally, McIlroy
HIBERNIAN ... (1)....5	Stevenson 2, Quinn, Davis (pen), McGraw	PARTICK ...... (1)....1	Rae (pen)
MORTON ...... (0)....3	Mason, Allen, Sweeney	ABERDEEN ... (0)....3	Wilson, Watt, Johnstone
RANGERS ..... (1)....1	Ferguson	HEARTS .... (0)....1	Fleming
ST. J'STONE . (0)....1	Aird	RAITH .... (0)....0	
STIRLING A. . (0)....0		CELTIC .... (1)....4	Wallace, Auld 2, Lennox

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4	2	0	0	8	1	Hibernian	1	1	0	6	3	7
4	1	1	0	3	1	Airdrie	1	1	0	4	3	6
4	1	1	0	5	3	Kilmarnck	1	1	0	2	1	6
4	1	1	0	4	1	Celtic	1	0	1	4	1	5
4	1	1	0	2	1	St J'stone	0	2	0	3	3	5
4	1	0	1	2	4	Hearts	1	1	0	4	2	5
4	1	1	0	5	4	Morton	1	0	1	2	3	5
4	0	1	1	0	1	Falkirk	1	1	0	3	1	4
4	1	0	1	5	4	Aberdeen	0	2	0	4	4	4
4	1	0	1	4	4	Clyde	1	0	1	2	4	4
4	0	2	0	4	4	Dundee U.	0	1	1	2	4	3
4	1	1	0	4	3	Dundee	0	0	2	2	5	3
4	0	0	2	2	5	Dunfmine	1	1	0	3	2	3
4	1	0	1	8	3	Raith	0	0	2	0	4	2
4	0	1	1	0	4	Stirling A	0	1	1	1	7	2
4	0	1	1	2	3	Moth'well	0	0	2	2	4	1
4	0	0	2	0	3	Partick	0	0	2	3	9	0

SCOTTISH LEAGUE—DIV II

ARBROATH ... (0)....1	ST. MIRREN .. (1)....1
AYR UTD. ... (0)....1	FORFAR .... (1)....2
BRECHIN C. .. (0)....1	QUEEN'S PK. . (0)....1
CLYDEBANK .. (1)....2	ALBION .... (1)....2
EAST FIFE ... (1)....2	BERWICK R. . (1)....1
E. STIRLING . (0)....1	COWD'BEATH . (1)....1
HAMILTON .... (2)....3	DUMBARTON . (2)....3
STEN'MUIR .. (0)....1	QUEEN OF S. . (1)....3
STRANRAER .. (1)....3	ALLOA .... (0)....0

	W.	D.	L.	Pts		W.	D.	L.	Pts
St. Mirren	5	3	0	13	Queen's Pk.	2	2	1	6
Queen of S.	5	1	2	11	E. Sirling	2	2	2	6
Arbroath	4	2	1	10	Ayr	2	2	2	6
E. Fife	4	1	1	9	Cowd'beath	2	2	3	6
Forfar	4	1	2	9	Berwick	3	0	4	6
Albion R.	3	2	2	8	Clydebank	2	1	3	5
Hamilton	3	2	3	8	Alloa	2	1	4	5
Montrose	2	3	1	7	Sten'muir	1	1	6	3
Dumbarton	2	3	3	7	Brechin	1	1	4	3
					Stranraer	1	0	6	2

MIDLAND LEAGUE.—Alfreton 3, Worksop 3; Ilkeston 4, Lockheed 0; Loughborough 3, Belper 1; Scarborough 1, Heanor 2; Skegness 2, Grantham 3; Spalding 1, Scunthorpe 3; Stamford 0, Sutton 2.

HIGHEST SCORE 5: Aldershot, Crewe, Hibs.
HIGHEST AGGREGATE 7: Chester 2, Aldershot 5.
Total number of goals scored in English and Scottish League matches:

189

WIN ON THE POOLS

TAFFY'S FOCUS ON FORM

Fourteen draws on the coupons last Saturday, an increase all round of three for the previous week, when the dividends went to five figures, but they'll not be so high because there's more in the English Leagues.

There were eleven — three in the First Division, two in the Second, three each in the Third and Fourth, and three in the Scottish Leagues.

As I've mentioned before, when there are almost a dozen in the English Leagues down go the dividends, but if you were lucky enough to have eight in the one line, the top dividend will be handy.

The balance of the coupons were made up of 14 Aways and 24 Home winners. There'll be a slight rise in the FOUR AWAYS and the EIGHT and NINE RESULTS pools.

Here are the dividends, in sterling currency, for Saturday, September 23:—

LITTLEWOOD'S

Treble Chance: 24 pts., £16,056 for 1d., 23 pts., £185/1/-; 22½ pts., £83/15/-; 22 pts., £11/12/-; 21½ pts., £2/10/-.

Twelve Match Result Pool: 12 correct, £393/16/- for 2d.; 11 correct, £11; 10 correct 16/-.

Three Draws 180/-. Nine Results 712/-. Four Aways 84/-. Easier Six 256/-.

VERNON'S

Treble Chance: 24 pts., £4,129/7/- for a farthing; 23 pts., £47/4/-; 22½ pts., £18/15/-; 22 pts., £1/15/-.

Twelve Match Result Pool: 12 correct, £219/12/- for 2d.; 11 correct, £6/12/-; 10 correct, 8/-.

Three Draws 234/-; Eight Results 72/-; Four Aways 70/-; Simple Six 248/-.

Liverpool after beating Stoke City by the odd goal in three, hold on to top place of the First Division and in so doing also preserved their unbeaten home record so far this season.

Liverpool lead by one point from Sheffield Wed. who had a hard fight at home to draw 2-2 with promoted Wolverhampton.

Arsenal, third, went down 1-2 at Newcastle, after giving away a penalty which gave Newcastle the winning goal.

Arsenal hold third place on goal average from their neighbors, Tottenham, who beat Sunderland 3-0 at home.

One of the biggest gates this season 63,000 saw the Manchester "derby" at City's ground, the United won 2-1 after a thrill-packed game. The champions, Manchester United, are fifth with 12 points but have a game in hand over the leaders.

In Div. 2, Crystal Palace had a ground record gate of 38,000 for their all-London "derby" with Queens Park Rangers. The Palace won by the only goal scored and knocked the Rangers off the top spot for themselves on goal average from Blackpool who won 2-1 at Bolton.

Portsmouth, one of the two only unbeaten teams in the four English Leagues, held on to their record with a good 1-0 win at Derby, and are just behind Q.P.R. on goal average.

Torquay the only other unbeaten team, gained a 2-1 home win against Oldham to keep top place in Div. 3, on goal average from Reading who won 3-0 at home over Grimsby Town. Walsall and Peterborough share the lead in this order, Walsall had a 1-0 win at Shrewsbury and Peterborough won 2-0 at home over Bournemouth.

Aldershot lead Div. 4 on goal average following their 5-2 away win at Chester, they lead from Crewe who thrashed Halifax 5-1 at home. Chesterfield are third after their 3-1 home win against Darlington. Southend are one point behind them in Fourth place after drawing 2-2 at York.

Rangers are still on top of Scottish Div. 1, they were the surprise result in the far North, being held to a 1-1 draw at Home by Hearts. Hibernians have the same number of points as Rangers but are second on goal average. The Hibs' thrashed Partick Thistle 5-1. Celtic have hit their straps once again and were in the goals winning at Stirling 4-0.

Celtic are in fifth position now and still climbing.

Now for NEXT SATURDAY WEEK, OCTOBER 14, the following should win at Home for that stake-saver:—

EIGHT and NINE RESULTS

*Arsenal, *Liverpool, Blackburn, *Blackpool, Bristol City, Ipswich Town, *Millwall Athletic, *Swindon Town, *Torquay United, Brentford, *Doncaster Rovers, Newport County, *Swansea Town, Hibernians.

FOUR AWAYS

*Tottenham, Leeds United, *Queens Park Rangers, Southport, *Celtic, *Rangers.

THREE DRAWS

Sheffield United v. Manchester United, Birmingham v. Portsmouth, Barnsley v. Aldershot.

TREBLE CHANCE

Manchester City v. Wolverhampton W., *Notts Forest v. Sheffield Wed., *Sheffield United v. Manchester United, *Birmingham v. Portsmouth, *Bolton W. v. Norwich City, *Carlisle United v. Preston North End, Middlesborough v. Plymouth Argyle, *Brighton v. Peterborough, Leyton Orient v. Southport, *Barnsley v. Aldershot, Luton Town v. Chesterfield, Rochdale v. Crewe Alexander, Dundee v. St. Johnstone, *Falkirk v. Kilmarnock.

*Indicates best selections —GOOD LUCK, POOLS PUNTERS—TAFFY.

THE difference one year has made to Chelsea is startling. Go back twelve months when Tommy Docherty's cockahoop kids had just crunched Manchester City 4—1 away. Their ten-match opening spell to the reason read: Won 6, Drawn 4. Goals 23—9.

Chelsea yesterday hit the woodwork three times, missed a penalty, but never deserved victory against fellow strugglers Coventry.

Now their ten-match opener this season reads: Won 2, Drawn 4, Lost 4. Goals 14-24.

The bold Docherty experiment to play international full back Eddie McCreadie as a striker No. 10 was a flop.

John Boyle, sent on as a substitute for Bobby Tambling in the 62nd minute, grabbed the Chelsea equaliser with a desperate half-volley in the 79th minute.

A flicker of the old fire came into Chelsea's play after that goal.

Referee Dennis Brady ruled that Coventry right back Mick Kearns had brought Charlie Cooke down in the box in the 88th minute.

But Cooke's spot-kick, to the left of the goalkeeper, was saved by Bill Glazier.

There were several miserable Chelsea performances. And not even the usually reliable goalkeeper Peter Bonetti was confident.

New £60,000 left back Geoff Butler was the most reliable Chelsea defender.

But centre half Colin Waldron rarely beat his man in the air or on the ground, without conceding a free kick.

In the Chelsea attack the swerving Cooke flicked in and out of play but never made any real impact.

Peter Osgood had a magnificent flying header stopped by the crossbar in the twenty-fifth minute. Later the woodwork also thwarted Harris and Waldron.

Osgood still does not look 100 per cent match fit.

Tommy Baldwin rarely linked up in attack with anything like the quick efficiency of last season, while Tambling was struggling.

Coventry took the lead with a quick and clever goal by burly left winger Dave Clements.

They might have scored more had they not fallen too soon back into defence.

GIFT GOALS BY ARSENAL

Newcastle 2, Arsenal 1

● Two shots shook Newcastle United goalkeeper Gordon Marshall. The first streaked into the net for the equaliser from centre forward George Graham in the fifty-seventh minute, writes VINCE WILSON.

● The second, near the end, rapped the crossbar and rebounded into play. It came from John Sammels, twenty-five yards from goal.

● For the rest of the game however Marshall hadn't a hot shot to handle. That was the sum total of the Arsenal attack.

● Newcastle never had to play above themselves.

● Goalkeeper Jim Furnell made the first error in the 33rd minute when Albert Bennett's high centre shot high in the wind.

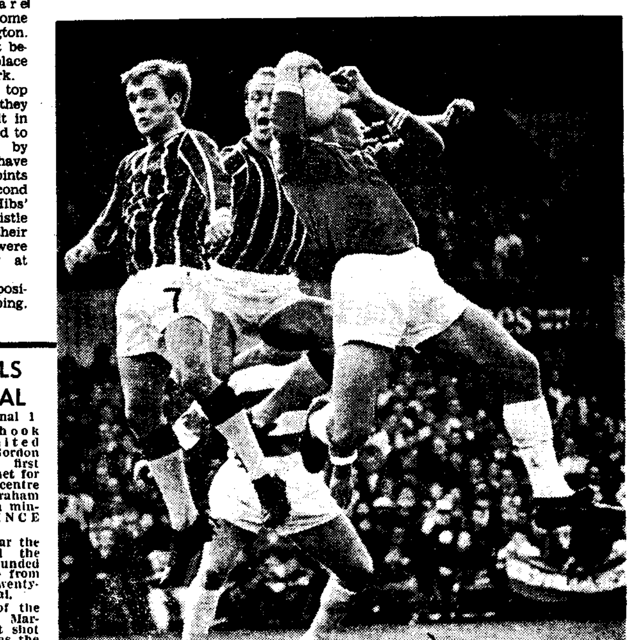
● Furnell had time to anticipate the flight of the ball, but he allowed Wyn Davies to lean forward and head home from six yards.

● Colin Addison conceded a blatant penalty kick for the second goal in the 66th minute. Bryan Robson sent Furnell the wrong way with his rising shot.

● The equaliser brought an all-round tonic to this ailing Arsenal side but it did not last for long. They soon fell back into bad habits.

● Ian Ure was the outstanding player in a none too certain defence and Sammels the best forward in an attack which rarely threatened to score.

● Armstrong was off for nine minutes in the first half after he had challenged Jim Iley and taken an elbow blow in the eye.



Up they go . . . and Springett grabs the ball before Palace attackers White and Light can get to it.

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LEFT TO RIGHT: Ray Shew, club secretary and founder; Jim Rapson, junior manager; Cr. Basil Elms, Mayor of Doncaster; Cr. Stan Shepherd, president; John Dunkley, best clubman; David Martin, coach. — Photo: Studio Ten, Camberwell.

Doncaster kick on

By FRED VILLIERS

Success is Soccer is not always measured in championships or promotion.

Take the newly-formed Doncaster Rovers club.

It's won more honors in its eight months' existence than many Victorian clubs win in a life time.

Few have come so far in such a short time. Winning friends — influential ones — gaining a first-class ground and organising a dinner-dance equal to those run by top State League clubs.

The club now is looking confidently to 1968, their first championship and, of course, promotion.

Can it be done? Well, look what they've achieved so far in this vastly-growing suburb, thanks to the efforts of 26-year-old Londoner, Ray Shew, who is club secretary.

Ray, who had a spell with Moreland, **realised the need** for a Soccer team in the Doncaster and Templestowe Shire so he set about establishing the club and named it after the English fourth division side.

At the time, the club enlisted the help of the Shire's first Mayor, Councillor, Stan Shepherd, who helped them find a ground and gave them the lift they needed at the start of the season.

At their first dinner-dance, held in the old-world atmosphere of The Cottage, in Doncaster Road, Cr. Shepherd, who is now their president, had a prominent place on the VIP's table. With him was the present Mayor and Mayoress, Cr. Basil Elms and his wife.

These are just a few of the VIP's in the district who have rallied to the club and given their help.

Cr. Shepherd acted as M.C. while the Mayor presented the club's first trophies.

John Dunkley, a 32-year-old Englishman, received the best clubman of the year award. And he well deserved it.

John has been the life-blood of the team as vice-president and publicity officer being highly successful in obtaining TV personality Graham Kennedy's dog "Rover" as the club's mascot.

Other trophies went to Ray Shew (founder trophy), David Martin (senior coach), Jim Rapson (junior team manager).

Cr. Shepherd said it was nice to see Soccer being played in Doncaster. He didn't think it was so popular in Victoria.

He emphasised it was the real football game. "It's kicked with the feet and passed with the feet — not the hands", he said.

Deputy Bonds to the rescue

West Ham 0, Leeds 0:

BILLY BONDS, Hammers' £50,000 full back, arrived at Upton Park expecting to see the match from the stands.

He ended the afternoon as the home fans' hero with a timely goal-line clearance as Leeds looked like snatching both points.

He played only because outside left John Sissons was ill overnight and Hammers had to do a quick pre-match reshuffle

His 81st minute goal-line stop from a Peter Lorrimer close range shot had home fans chanting his name in relief.

Not that Hammers deserved defeat. A draw was right in a match full of good football and lacking only a finish.

Home keeper Bobby Ferguson, the £55,000 star West Ham sensationally dropped after a nightmare opening in English football, kept his second successive clean sheet

In doing so he showed that, if he's still not 100 per cent. sure of his new team mates, understanding is growing fast.

He and fellow Scot John Cushley had one horrible second half collision, and twice in the first half the pair combined to make mistakes that must have been costly.

Most interested onlooker was England's Soccer supremo Sir Alf Ramsey. With the first home international of the season—against Wales in Cardiff—only three weeks away, Sir Alf must have left quite happy.

Even if Geoff Hurst and Martin Peters were kept comparatively quiet by this well-drilled Leeds defence, Bobby Moore was superb and Jack Charlton showed he is still the safest centre half in the land.

Hurst had his one real scoring chance when he dived brilliantly to connect with a Peter Brabrook lob. His header was fingertipped just as spectacularly clear by Gary Sprake.

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BIG PROFIT FROM TOURS

Net profit from the tours by Scotland and Manchester United earlier in the year was $172,846.

This was announced by Sir William Walkley after last weekend's executive meeting of the Australian Soccer Federation, in Sydney.

He said that $126,000 of this amount will be distributed among the various States.

The rest of the money will be used to engage a full-time national coach.

Sir William said the position will be advertised widely overseas and will be initially for a two year period.

"The salary will be subject to negotiation", he said.

The national coach will travel throughout the country instructing coaches and juniors as well as being in charge of Australia's national team.

The Australian Federation is to be congratulated in taking such a step and it is to be hoped that they can attract a coach of sufficiently high standing.

★ From RUSSIA. Following the banning of World Cup star Voronin another of the 1966 Russians in England, winger Igor Chislenko, is to stand trial for drunken driving and K O'ing a copper. Moscow Dynamos and the national side have fired him.

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BARCLAY IS TOUR BOSS

By MARTIN ASTON

John Barclay, of Victoria, is one of the two managers of the Australian Soccer team for the five-week tour of South-east Asia to start on October 30. The other is Jim Connell, of South Australia.

I predicted exclusively in Soccer News two months ago that Mr. Barclay was favored to gain such a position.

He's a hard worker for the code and is sure to prove a success in what will be an extremely difficult job.

The coach of Australia's touring party will be "Uncle Joe" Vlasits, of Sydney.

Joe Venglos, who did such a good job as coach of Australia's team in the matches against Scotland was not available to make the trip because he could not gain leave from the Education Department.

He is a physical education instructor at the South Sydney High School.

Australia's touring party also will include a leading referee at the invitation of the Vietnam Football Federation.

Tony Boskovic, of N.S.W., has been chosen for the trip ahead of Dave Maitland, of Victoria, and Vince Dobinson, of Queensland.

The tour will start with a two weeks' Festival of Football in Saigon in which Australia will compete against Japan, Taiwan, Malaya, New Zealand, Thailand, South Vietnam, Singapore, Indonesia, the Philippines and South Korea.

This followed by two matches in Bangkok, one each in Kuala Lumpur and Singapore and two in Djakarta.

EUROPEAN SOCCER

Well done-Gagliari

By JIM COOK

In 1966 outside left, Luigi Riva, of Cagliari, was the most wanted winger in Italian Soccer. With foreigners barred and outstanding players hard to find Riva, who had headed the league scorers, was worth a fortune to his club.

But in April he broke his leg and is still recovering.

Despite this misfortune, all clubs who could borrow money were after him and with Cagliari, 400 million lire in debt, they said they would be forced to sell.

But Cagliari fans went into action to help their club keep their star player and organised lotteries, collected donations from wealthy businessmen, gathered an incredible £88,000 and handed it over to the club.

Now it has been decided, Riva stays with Cagliari for at least another season.

THE REF. WAS 82

Recently in Palermo, Italy, the referee failed to appear for a game, so the services were enlisted of 82-year-old Tino Brazzi from a nearby Old Folks Home.

There were no complaints after the game.

YUGOSLAVIA ALTERS RULES

The Yugoslav F.A. have altered their transfer rules to allow players to receive a share of their transfer fees, and place age limits on transfers to foreign clubs.

Under the new rules, Partizan Belgrade's international wing half, Radoslav Becejac, who went to Olympia (Ljubljana), collected half of his £30,000 transfer fee.

POOLS BRING A FORTUNE TO SPAIN

The State-run Toto-football Pools made a record profit of £800,000 last season. The entire proceeds are devoted to helping amateurs.

A special sports committee have drawn up a blueprint which will give even the smallest village its own "parc des sports" (stadium) within 15 years.

FRENCH WANT BIGGER GOALS

A suggestion being peddled around by representatives of the French F.A. is they want bigger goals — posts one yard further apart, crossbar one foot higher.

The French reckon the famine in goals is driving customers from the game. And they reckon the best way to win them back is to give the fans more goals.

Generally speaking the idea has been given the horse laugh in Europe, although there's more than a grain of commonsense in it for some highly responsible officials to have second thoughts on the suggestion.

BOOTS GALORE

In the 60-odd league and cup games they played last season, the players of Glasgow Celtic, the European Cup holders, went through three pairs of boots apiece.

First thing Celtic do with a new pair of boots is to unscrew the modern plastic studs and replace them with leather ones.

"HATCHETMEN OF IRELAND"

That's the tag applied to Crusaders who play at Seaview Park down by the waters of Belfast Lough.

Born in 1949, Crusaders got the "hatchet" tag from the sharpness and strength of their tackling. Now a hatchet is incorporated in their club badge.

Winners of the Irish Cup last season, they meet Valencia of Spain in the European Cup — Winner's Cup. They may have a big job to live up to their name and the second leg will draw a full house at Seaview Park, which only holds 12,000.

SWISS HAVE MORE GROUNDS THAN CLUBS

The Swiss, who pioneered State Soccer pools in 1929, have a big problem on their hands with the vast fortune they have made from the scheme. They have now more grounds than they have clubs.

In the last ten years they have switched from Soccer to building gymnasia and swimming baths, where any amateur club can obtain training facilities free of charge.

REF. IN MONEY TROUBLES

The financial affairs of Italian World Cup referee Concetto Lo Bello have recently been raised in Italian parliament.

He was asked to explain why he had six jobs, two cars, a wife and two children and had real estate yet only admitted an income of £800 per annum.

Bello asked for the inquiry and said he had nothing to hide.

FLOODLIGHTS IN A WEEK

One of the best set of floodlights on the Continent are those of Vojvodina, in Yugoslavia. And know what! They were erected in seven days by German contractor, Richard Ott, from Wiesbaden.

The system in Novi Sad is a two pole construction at opposite corners of the ground. All work was done in Ott's factory in Frankfurt, which took two and a half weeks to transport the lot of Yugoslavia.

The same contractor installed the lights for Eintracht Frankfurt in just over three weeks.

BOOM AT THE KOP

Liverpool's balance sheet recently issued for 1966 showed among other things:

- Receipts from league games — £152,103.
- Receipts from cup games — £175,075.
- Players' wages and bonuses — £103,750.
- Receipts from programmes — £12,000.

TOP MANAGER BACKS REFS.

John Stein, of Glasgow Celtic, who won the Manager of the Year Award in Britain in 1966 and again this year, which carries a $5000 cash prize and a trophy presented by Westclox, recently had this to say on referees:—

"Their conditions are ridiculous compared with those of managers and players. Referees are not aware of their real importance in the game.

ON THE INCREASE IN CAUTIONS. — He said: "I don't think there's any increase in bad behaviour on the field. The referees are giving cautions with an eye to the supervisor in the stand. Young refs. are being smothered with supervisors. There is still room for individuals. Players can respect an individual more than a rule.

ON PLAYERS KNOWING THE RULES. — "A real professional should know everything about the game including tactical instruction and referee instruction.

ON REPORTS ON REFEREES. — "I never fill in a report until the Wednesday after the game. Immediately after a game I may not see something in the proper light. Everything I do is on reflection. By Wednesday I have a balanced view.

"For second and third team reports we take into consideration experience of the referee, and in the case of a young ref, we always try to give him the benefit of the doubt."

SOCCER STAR FOR AUSTRALIA

A red haired centre forward who once scored 10 goals in one match is emigrating to Australia.

But club officials needn't get excited for the centre is a 13-year-old girl, Yvonne Griffiths, from Newcastle-under-Lyme (England), who plays for Whithron United, which is otherwise an all-boys' side.

NEW RULE IN CUP GAMES

The 1967 Australia Cup competition will see the introduction of the recent amendments made to the Laws of the Game by F.I.F.A., which now place restrictions on the movements of goalkeepers when handling the ball.

The new law, which has created extensive controversy in the present English League Championships Season now under way, is as follows:—

"When a goalkeeper,

(a) takes more than four steps while holding, bouncing or throwing the ball in the air and catching it again without releasing it so that it is played by another player, or

(b) indulges in tactics which, in the opinion of the Referee, are designed merely to hold up the game and thus waste time and so give an unfair advantage to his own team.

He shall be penalised by the award of an indirect free kick to be taken by the opposing side from where the infringement occurred."

The purpose of this new law is basically to prevent goalkeepers from indulging in time-wasting tactics.

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PLAYER OF THE YEAR

By MARTIN ASTON

John Warren, a young man of character and ability, is my choice as Sydney's player of the year for 1967.

I name him after the way in which he led St. George Budapest to take out the N.S.W. premiership for the first time.

He's going to be one of the players around whom Australia's team to contest the preliminary rounds of the 1970 World Cup is going to be built.

Warren, who is only 23, is living proof that the Australian born boy can reach the top in Soccer if only he is given the opportunity.

He was probably Australia's outstanding player in the first match against Scotland and it is rare for him to have a bad game.

Warren is one of those rare players who combine the ability to snap up a goal with a tremendous capacity for work.

His balanced temperament and sense of humor make him one of the most popular and likeable members of Australia's team and I believe that he should be the logical choice to follow Pat Hughes as the captain of his country.

The way in which Warren encouraged his players to keep fighting and attacking when down 0-2 paved the way for St. George Budapest to fight back to beat Apia by 5-2 in the grand final.

BALLARAT AND GEELONG

Assn. Cup Semi-Finals

Hamlyn Rangers 5, Geelong City 0; Geelong West 4, Geelong 2; Final Corio ground a week on Saturday.

Roger David Cup

Ballarat City 3, Mt. Clear 3 (after extra time). Replay next Saturday at Trekando Park.

EIGHT PROUD JUVENTUS MEN at their presentation night: Top row (left to right): Pat Della Rocca, Dieter Voigt, Maurice Bonfieni, George Scott, Gilbert Martin (secretary). Bottom row — Alan Gentry, Sergio Turcovic and Galdino Porapat. — Dorigo Photos.

WELL DONE JUVENTUS!

By "TAFFY"

Went along to the Juventus Soccer Club "Younger Set" Ball at the San Remo Ballroom, North Carlton, last Friday night.

An added special occasion was the presentation of awards to the players of all grades of the club.

And what a grand night it was!

This Younger Set hold these functions at the San Remo the last Friday in every month.

The young committee under the guidance of senior club member Saverio Valmorbida to help them along are doing a terrific job to bring young people together.

It was really wonderful to see so many teenagers enjoying themselves, what amazed me there were no long-haired or bearded youths at the gathering, and the happiness exuding from the youngsters and the older ones as they danced such favorites as the "Hully Gully" and etc.

The Younger Set committee, Ernie Cester, president; Tony Zeccola, vice-president; Diana Bosari, secretary; Erminia Gonano, treasurer; and their gang of hardworking committee members are to be congratulated for the great night.

For the presentation of awards and the introduction of the senior committee the job of Master of Ceremonies was handed over to Ross Gigliotti, treasurer of the Juventus Club ably assisted by Gil Martin, secretary.

The awards and trophies were:—

Junior Best and Fairest: Sergio Turcovic — "Ob. Saico Trophy" donated by John Castellini, Riverside Inn Hotel.

Runner-up: Galdino Porapat.

Most Consistent Player: George Scott "San Remo Trophy" and cheque.

Most Improved Player: Pat Della Rocca, "World Travel Service Trophy" and cheque.

Best Club Man: Allan Gentry, "Mario's Service Station Trophy" and cheque.

Reserves Best and Fairest: Morris Bonfieni, "Cester Poultry Trophy" and cheque.

First Squad's Best and Fairest: Dieter Voigt "Aquila Shoes Trophy" and cheque.

The wine for the guests was supplied by the chairman Mr. E. Besi and the poultry for the guests' table by Mr. Cester.

Miss Teresa Bonetti, 19, sponsored by "Sisa Shoes" for the Miss Juventus Quest is a clothing machinist. Her interests include hairdressing, ten pin bowling and embroidery and, of course, following the Juventus Soccer Team.

JUVENTUS BALL — OCT. 27

Juventus Annual Ball and Miss Juventus Quest.

All Juventus followers should turn up in force at this the last and biggest social event of the year.

The hard-working ladies of the social committee have dedicated a lot of time to make the annual ball a very successful and profitable event.

Make the date a must—Friday, October 27, at San Remo Ballroom, 367 Nicholson St., North Carlton.

The highlight will be the crowning of Miss Juventus and it will be worth attending the ball just for the pleasure of seeing these six beautiful young ladies who'll be viewing for the title.

The lucky winner will soon be winging her way by Air-India to fascinating Fiji for a fabulous holiday for two. The other girls will share prizes including an all-expenses paid trip for two flying TAA to Surfers Paradise, an Italian Venetian Chandelier by Mirabella Furnishings and an E.S. & A. Savings Bank Account for $100.

The girls have all worked hard towards this occasion and their efforts deserve the solid support of every Juventus follower. Tickets can be reserved by contacting any member of the club committee, some of who are listed below:—

Mrs. Primavera, phone 63 4388 after hours 38 1444.

Mrs. Cimianato, phone 26 3180.

Mr. Gigliotti, phone 34 1661 after hours 46 4112.

Mr. Martin, phone 38 6717.

Just a further reminder regarding a function in support of Miss Cester Poultry-Miss Gabriella Spadaro. This is a monster barbecue to be held at Mr. Tullio Cester's home, Spring Rd., Springvale, on Saturday, October 14, at 7 p.m.

Knowing the quality and tenderness of Mr. Cester's products, together with other choice meats and delightful refreshments available, we have no hesitation in recommending this as a night not to be missed.

Prospect of the year

Ernie Campbell, of Apia, and Frank Cush, of South Sydney Croatia.

They share the rating of Sydney's prospect of the year.

Campbell, who is only 17, moves on the wing with a precocious confidence and aplomb.

He was far from disgraced when he played for a Sydney XI against Manchester United earlier in the year.

Campbell had a spell in England last year as an apprentice professional with Chelsea, and his modified Beatle style haircut and long sidelevers are a result of London's mod influence.

He is a modest, cheerful young man who is likely to develop into one of Australia's key players for the 1970 World Cup.

The same applies to Cush, who is a year older at 18.

He has the necessary turn of speed, the physique, as well as the courage required to make good as a striking centre-forward.

Cush has a good shot as well as being strong in the air, and it is a pity that he failed to gain a place in the trials for the Australian tour of South East Asia.

Other players who caught the eye throughout the season were:

PAT HUGHES, the Apia right-half, who led Australia with distinction in the international matches against Scotland and is a certainty to be captain of team to tour South-east Asia.

He is an aggressively confident player who throws himself heart and soul into every game.

Hughes, who delights to attack when tactics allow it, can read a game well and his use of the ball is cool and marvellously adroit.

ALLAN WESTWATER, the Pan Hellenic link man, is another automatic choice in any Australian team.

He has a precocious confidence and is always ready to drop back and collect the ball from his defence in his role as the mid-field general.

Westwater's resourceful play against Scotland and Manchester United was remarkable for a young man of 21 who was making his first appearance in representative football.

ALLAN MARNOCH, the Hakoah centre-half, is a serious-minded young Scot who has the ability to put a grip on the opposing centre-forward.

Is the undisputed first choice as the "stopper" in Australia's team because he is excellent in the air, a robust tackler, and he always seemed to use the ball with judgment.

RAY BAARTZ, the Hakoah striking forward, is one of the few players in Sydney who have the ability to score a goal with a sudden, thundering shot from the edge of the penalty area.

He would have been a sensation in a stronger team than Hakoah.

JOE VENGLOS is my choice as Sydney's coach of the year.

This former Czech international is a realist, open and sincere almost to a fault, and can control his players with a shrewd mixture of authority and sympathy.

No praise can be too high for the way in which Venglos went about preparing Australia's team for the international matches against Scotland.

He has a lively interest in modern training and tactics, and likes to reproduce "actual" match situations in training.

Venglos also did an outstanding job developing a group of youthful players with Sydney's Prague Club.

Venglos gets my vote as coach of the year just ahead of St. George Budapest's Laurie Hegyes, a plump, moody and sometimes explosive former Hungarian.

He has welded his gifted, temperamental players into a real team during the past 12 months.

Hegyes deserves praise for the way in which he has always encouraged his players to favor a brave attacking policy.

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